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Response

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

In response to the action mailed on November 8, 2006, the applicant herewith elects to prosecute claims 2 to 14, 21 and 22 drawn to a portable handheld work apparatus.

Respectfully submitted,

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